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FROM CHAIRMAN ELG

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SUBJ: EMERGENCY MILITARY CONTINGENCY REQUIREMENTS ANNEX TO
E AND E PLANS

1. EXPERIENCE GAINED DURING AND SINCE 1974 CYPRUS EVACUATION INDICATES THAT, IN THE EVENT OF A LAST RESORT MILITARY EVACUATION, THE STANDARD COMPREHENSIVE EMERGENCY AND EVACUATION PLAN OF A FOREIGN SERVICE POST CONTAINS TOO MUCH IRRELEVANT DETAIL TO BE USED EFFECTIVELY BY EITHER COMMANDER OF A MILITARY RESCUE MISSION OR THE MILITARY HEADQUARTERS MONITORING A MILITARY EVACUATION SITUATION. ACCORDINGLY, A EUROPEAN LIAISON GROUP (ELG) ANNEX ON EMERGENCY MILITARY CONTINGENCY REQUIREMENTS HAS BEEN DEVELOPED TO MEET NEEDS OF MILITARY
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PLANNERS AND OPERATORS. IT PROVIDES FOR ONLY THE KEY INFORMA-

TION VITAL TO A MILITARY RESCUE MISSION.

2. THE TEXT OF THIS ANNEX, WHICH HAS BEEN WORKED OUT BY USCINCEUR AND CONGEN STUTTGART (COMPRISING ELG) AND APPROVED BY THE WASHINGTON LIAISON GROUP, WILL BE TRANSMITTED TO ADDRESSEE POSTS BY FOLLOWING AIRGRAM. EACH ACTION ADDRESSEE IS REQUESTED TO PREPARE ITS EMERGENCY MILITARY CONTINGENCY REQUIREMENTS ANNEX AND SUBMIT IT BY TELEGRAM TO AMCONSUL STUTTGART FOR ELG REVIEW AND APPROVAL WITHIN FIFTEEN DAYS OF RECEIPT OF THE AIRGRAM. THE ANNEX SHOULD INCLUDE DATA COVERING CONSTITUENT POSTS UNDER JURISDICTION OF THE ADDRESSEE. THE POST SHOULD THEN INCORPORATE THE AIRGRAM WITH ITS E AND E MANUAL, ATTACH THE ANNEX TO ITS E AND E PLAN, AND BE PREPARED TO UPDATE DATA IN THE ANNEX AND TRANSMIT UPDATED DATA TO THE DEPARTMENT AND ELG WHENEVER POST DEEMS IT APPROPRIATE OR WHEN REQUESTED BY THE DEPARTMENT OR ELG. FYI: WHEN EMBASSY BEIRUT WAS FACED WITH POSSIBLE EVACUATION, IT WAS ABLE TO PREPARE AND SUBMIT THE ANNEX WITHIN THREE DAYS OF REQUEST.

3. IN ADDITION, POSTS ARE REMINDED THAT THEY SHOULD SEND THEIR E AND E PLANS AND REVISIONS TO AMCONSUL STUTTGART (FOR ELG CHAIRMAN) FOR REVIEW AND FORWARDING TO WLG IN THE DEPARTMENT AND TO INCLUDE AMCONSUL STUTTGART AND USCINCEUR ON DISTRIBUTION OF F-77 REPORTS, SIGNIFICANT SITREPS AND REPORTS ON IMPLEMENTATION OF PHASES OF E AND E PLANS. CARLSON

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